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Sir:

On 13 August 2001, a Notification of Suspension was mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Applicants request information regarding the current status of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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